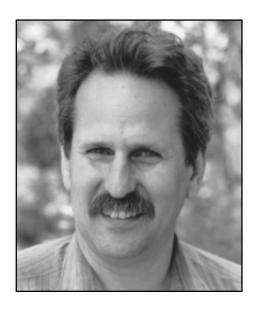
# **House District 8**

# **David Guttenberg, Democrat**



DATE OF BIRTH: May 26, 1951

PLACE OF BIRTH: New York, New York

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OCCUPATION: Construction worker, Legislative

Finance Aide

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA:** 32 years Fairbanks 1970 to present

#### **EDUCATION:**

Springfield Gardens High School, 1969; Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, 1970; AFL-CIO Organizing Institute, 1993.

## **POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:**

Commissioner, Chena/Goldstream Fire and Rescue; Commissioner, Jennifer Drive Service Area; Board of Directors, Borealis Community Land Trust; Past Chair, Alaska Democratic Party; Democratic National Committeeman for Alaska.

### **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:**

Finance staff, Representative John Davies, 1999-2002; Legislative staff, Representative Tom Moyer, 1999; Auditor, Alaska Laborers, Local 943; Alaska Laborers Political Education Committee; Political Director, Fairbanks Central Labor Council.

## SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Sculpture, painting, fly fishing, Chitina dip netting, gardening.

### STATEMENT:

The strength of Alaska relies on healthy families and a robust economy. Alaska must develop new fiscal strategies to forge a viable economy yet still provide the high quality education and public services citizens want and deserve. Adoption of a long range fiscal plan is crucial for a stable future. A responsible fiscal plan must represent the broad spectrum of interests in our state community.

The Republican leadership in the current legislature has overlooked its commitment to the diverse nature of our state. They have also set a bad example when it comes to keeping the public process open. I am committed to representing the communities of Fairbanks and the Interior and returning to an open public process.

I also support the following positions:

**Education:** I will work to inflation-proof the school funding formula to retain quality teachers and provide quality classrooms.

**University:** I support funding the University Regents' requested budget level to sustain programs and new initiatives that keep Alaska growing.

**Natural Gas Pipeline:** I will promote a natural gas pipeline through the Interior to provide long-term jobs.

**Alaska Families:** Families are healthy and strong when they have good jobs with health benefits. I support Alaskan jobs and I am pro-choice.

"The moral test of government is how it treats those who are in the dawn of life, the children; those who are in the twilight of life, the aged; and those who are in the shadow of life, the sick, the needy and the handicapped." Hubert Humphrey

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